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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 8 November 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

11.30 a.m. consultations of the whole (closed) Consultation Room

Subjects

- Tajikistan
- Palau (S/1994/1234)
- Other matters

3.30 p.m. 3452nd meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation concerning Rwanda

Establishment of an international tribunal for the prosecution of persons responsible for serious violations of international humanitarian law committed in the territory of Rwanda and Rwandan citizens responsible for such violations committed in the territory of neighbouring States

Afternoon* 3453rd meeting Security Council Chamber

1. Adoption of the agenda
2. The situation in the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina

Letter dated 3 November 1994 from the Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council (S/1994/1248)

* Following the adjournment of the 3452nd meeting of the Security Council.

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.

54th PLENARY MEETING

General Assembly Hall

Election of eighteen members of the Economic and Social Council [15 (b)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

Meeting of Officers

3.30 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room ESPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION
COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)WORKING GROUP ON
INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION IN THE
PEACEFUL USES OF OUTER SPACE3 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 6

Informal consultations open to all interested delegations on draft resolutions relating to agenda item 76 (International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space) and agenda item 147 (Question of the review of the Agreement Governing the Activities of States on the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies)

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

21st meeting

Conference
Room 2

1. Report of the Economic and Social Council [12]

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/49/L.11

2. Macroeconomic Policy questions [87]

(d) Net transfer of resources between developing and developed countries

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/49/L.7

3. Environment and sustainable development [89]

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.2/49/L.8 and L.10

(b) Protection of global climate for present and future generations of mankind

Introduction of draft resolution A/C.2/49/L.9

4. Sustainable development and international economic co-operation [88] (A/49/204-E/1994/90, A/49/205-E/1994/91, A/49/229, A/49/256, A/49/307, A/49/378, A/49/381, A/49/395, A/49/412-S/1994/1078, A/49/422-S/1994/1086, A/49/424 and Add.1, A/49/479, A/49/493-S/1994/1142, A/49/506, A/49/541)

(a) Trade and development (A/49/15 (Vol.I and II), A/49/227 and Add.1 and Add.2, A/49/228-S/1994/827, A/49/277, A/49/363)

(b) Food and agricultural development (A/49/438, A/49/507)

(c) Commodities (A/49/226, A/49/228-S/1994/827, A/49/287-S/1994/894 and Corr.1)

(d) Cultural development (A/49/159-E/1994/62 and Add.1 and 2)

(e) Integration of the economies in transition into the world economy (A/49/330)

(f) Industrial development cooperation (A/49/347, A/49/372)

(g) United Nations Conference on Human Settlements (Habitat II) (A/49/37, Supplement No. 37, A/49/272, A/49/640)

(h) International cooperation for the eradication of poverty in developing countries (A/49/572)

(i) United Nations initiative on opportunity and participation (A/49/287-S/1994/894 and Corr.1, A/49/541)

Introductory statements and general discussion

THIRD COMMITTEE

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. 22nd meeting Conference Room 1

1. Elimination of racism and racial discrimination [93]

Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/49/L.2, L.3 and L.8

2. Right of peoples to self-determination [94]

*Introduction of draft resolution A/C.3/49/L.6**

Action on draft resolutions A/C.3/49/L.4 and L.7

3. Report of the United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees, questions relating to refugees, returnees and displaced persons and humanitarian questions [99] (A/49/12 and Add.1; A/49/380, A/49/533, A/49/534, A/49/577, A/49/578, A/49/186, A/49/218-S/1994/801, A/49/287 and Corr.1; A/C.3/49/12)

General discussion

4. Social development, including questions relating to the world social situation and to youth, ageing, disabled persons and the family [95]

Introduction of draft resolutions A/C.3/49/L.9 and L.11

Action on draft resolution A/C.3/49/L.10

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 13th meeting Conference Room 3

1. Review of the efficiency of the administrative and financial functioning of the United Nations [105]

(A/49/16 (Part II); A/C.5/49/1; A/49/336, A/49/98, A/49/471, A/49/418, A/49/560 and A/49/34)

Continuation of general discussion

2. Financial reports and audited financial statements, and reports of the Board of Auditors [104]

(A/49/5 (Vol.I-IV), A/49/5/Add.1-9, A/49/214, A/48/572, A/48/587, A/48/516 and Add.1, A/49/368, A/49/348 and Add.1-2 and A/49/547)

Continuation of general discussion

3. Programme planning [108]

(A/49/6 (in fascicle form), A/49/16 (Parts I and II), A/49/135 and Add.1, A/49/99, A/49/452; E/1994/19 and E/1994/4)

Continuation of general discussion

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

Informal consultations on agenda items 127 (Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission for Uganda-Rwanda (UNOMUR)) and item 130 (Financing of the United Nations Assistance Mission for Rwanda (UNAMIR)) (A/49/375 and Add.1 and Corr.1 and A/49/501)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-
1 p.m. 29th meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

3 p.m. 30th meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Question of responsibility for attacks on United Nations and associated personnel and measures to ensure that those responsible for such attacks are brought to justice [141] (A/49/22; A/C.6/49/L.4)

SIXTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

Afternoon*-
6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

Informal consultations on a draft decision under item 133 (Observer status of national liberation movements recognized by the Organization of African Unity and/or by the League of Arab States) and a draft resolution under item 137 (Report of the International Law Commission on the work of its forty-sixth session)

* Following the adjournment of the 30th meeting of the Sixth Committee.

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DISARMAMENT COMMISSION

*Expanded Bureau*3 p.m.-
5 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room A

Consideration of the draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.5

UNITED NATIONS ADMINISTRATIVE
TRIBUNAL10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Room DC1-1008

2.30 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Room DC1-1008

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE
AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS10.30 a.m.-
1 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 103 p.m.-
6 p.m.

closed meeting

Conference
Room 10OPEN-ENDED WORKING GROUP ON THE
REVIEW OF ARRANGEMENTS FOR CONSULTATION
WITH NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANIZATIONS*Inter-sessional meeting*10 a.m.-
1 p.m.

informal meeting

Conference
Room 1

MEETINGS OTHER THAN MEETINGS OF UNITED NATIONS BODIES

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of any opinion whatsoever on the part of the
Secretariat of the United Nations.

Tuesday, 8 November 1994

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(*on follow-up of the International Conference
on Population and Development*)

2 p.m.-
3 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 7

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(*Briefing on Human Development Report*)

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room 7

ORGANIZATION OF THE ISLAMIC CONFERENCE:
CONTACT GROUP ON JAMMU AND KASHMIR

3 p.m.-
6 p.m. closed meeting Conference
Room C

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 9 November 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. 55th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Cooperation between the United Nations and the Organization of African Unity: report of the Secretary-General (A/49/490) [32].
2. Commemoration of the fiftieth anniversary of the United Nations in 1995: report of the Preparatory Committee for the Fiftieth Anniversary of the United Nations (A/49/48) [44].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 15th meeting
 3 p.m. 16th meeting Conference Room 4

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations
 3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 5

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m. 19th meeting
 3 p.m. 20th meeting Conference Room 1

SIXTH COMMITTEE

3 p.m. 31st meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 23rd meeting
 3 p.m. 24th meeting Conference Room 2

ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 14th meeting Conference Room 3 10.30 a.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10
 3 p.m. closed meeting

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The 168th meeting of the COMMITTEE ON RELATIONS WITH THE HOST COUNTRY will be convened on Thursday, 10 November 1994, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

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United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

The opening part of the first session of the Assembly of the International Seabed Authority, will be held in Kingston, Jamaica, from 16 to 18 November 1994. Delegations wishing to address the Assembly are kindly invited to inscribe their names on the list of speakers at the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (Room DC2-0484, extension 3-3951).

A meeting of States Parties to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea will be held at United Nations Headquarters on Monday and Tuesday, 21 and 22 November 1994. The meeting will be held to discuss the organization of the Tribunal and to consider the possibility of a one-time deferment of the first election of the members of the Tribunal. Informal consultations may be convened during that period. Arrangements will appear in the *Journal*.

Delegations, attending the meeting, are kindly requested to submit the names of their representatives to the Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea, Office of Legal Affairs (Room DC2-0444, Ext. 3-3972) if they have not already done so.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The President of the Economic and Social Council will convene open-ended informal consultations on the question of HIV/AIDS as called for in paragraph 11 of Economic and Social Council resolution 1994/24 entitled "Joint and co-sponsored United Nations programme on human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS)". The consultations are scheduled for Wednesday, 9 November 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 8.

Proposals by a number of Member States concerning the programme on human immunodeficiency virus/acquired immunodeficiency syndrome (HIV/AIDS) are available for delegations outside Room S-2963.

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of any opinion whatsoever on the part of the
Secretariat of the United Nations.

United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea

There will be informal consultations on the draft resolution on
agenda item 35 (Law of the sea) on Wednesday, 9 November
1994, at 10.30 a.m. in Conference Room 6.

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There will be a meeting of the WORKING GROUP ON HUMAN
RIGHTS of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT on Wednesday, 9
November 1994, at 10 a.m. in the Economic and Social Council
Chamber.

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There will be a meeting of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF
77 (*on the World Summit for Social Development*) on Thursday, 10
November 1994, from 2 p.m. to 3 p.m. in Conference Room 9.

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There will be a meeting of the GROUP OF LAND-LOCKED
DEVELOPING COUNTRIES on Friday, 11 November 1994, at 3 p.m.
in Conference Room 6.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 7 November 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

52nd plenary meeting

(c) *Notes by the Secretary-General transmitting the reports of the United Nations Development Programme (A/49/414 and A/49/459)*

Floods in Egypt

The President, on behalf of the General Assembly, extended to the Government and people of Egypt, his deepest sympathy for the tragic loss of life and extensive material damage which had resulted from the recent floods.

The representative of Egypt made a statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Antigua and Barbuda, the Marshall Islands, the Federated States of Micronesia, Papua New Guinea, Japan, Malta, Guyana, the Bahamas, Cyprus, Brazil, Venezuela, Malaysia, the United States, Pakistan, the Russian Federation and Grenada.

The General Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of sub-item (c) of agenda item 89.

Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States [89 (e)]

(a) *Report of the Conference (A/CONF.167/9);*

(b) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/49/425 and Add.1);*

(c) *Notes by the Secretary-General transmitting the reports of the United Nations Development Programme (A/49/414 and A/49/459)*

The General Assembly decided that the list of speakers in the debate on this item would be closed the same day at 11 a.m.

Statements were made by the representatives of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77), Germany (on behalf of the European Union and Austria), Barbados (on behalf of the States members of the Caribbean Community), Iceland (on behalf of the Nordic countries), India, Trinidad and Tobago (on behalf of the Alliance of Small Island States), China, the Republic of Korea, Australia (on behalf of the South Pacific Forum), New Zealand, Canada, Samoa, the Philippines, Fiji and Singapore.

Programme of activities of the International Decade of the World's Indigenous People (A/49/613) [103]

The Assembly adopted the draft decision recommended by the Third Committee in paragraph 5 of its report (A/49/613).

The Assembly thus concluded this stage of its consideration of agenda item 103.

53rd plenary meeting

Global Conference on the Sustainable Development of Small Island Developing States [89 (e)]

(a) *Report of the Conference (A/CONF.167/9)*

(b) *Report of the Secretary-General (A/49/425 and Add.1)*

GENERAL COMMITTEE

6th meeting

Adoption of the agenda of the forty-ninth regular session of the General Assembly and allocation of items: request for the inclusion of an additional item submitted by a number of countries (A/49/234 and Add.1) [8]

Statements were made by the representatives of Pakistan, Cambodia, the Sudan, Uruguay, Austria, Nicaragua and France.

Statements were made by the representatives of Italy, Andorra and Malta, in accordance with rule 43 of the rules of procedure.

The General Committee decided to invite the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Malaysia and Egypt, at their request, to take a place at the Committee's table.

Statements were made by the representatives of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Malaysia and Egypt.

The General Committee decided to recommend that the General Assembly should include the additional item (Capital punishment) in the agenda of the current session.

By 17 votes to none, with 3 abstentions, the General Committee decided to recommend that the item (Capital punishment) should be allocated to the Third Committee as sub-item (e) of agenda item 100 (Human rights questions).

Explanations of vote after the vote were made by the representatives of Pakistan, the Sudan, Ukraine and China.

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

14th meeting

Consideration of draft resolutions submitted under all disarmament and international security agenda items

The Committee continued its consideration of draft resolutions submitted under all disarmament and international security agenda items and heard statements by the representatives of Sri Lanka (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.37), Egypt (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.16), Mexico (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.25*), Japan (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.33), Nigeria (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.28), Cameroon (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.20), Brazil (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.39), Mexico (who introduced draft resolution A/C.1/49/L.8), India (who introduced draft resolutions A/C.1/49/L.31 and L.32) and the Islamic Republic of Iran (who, in his capacity as the current President of the Conference on Disarmament, introduced the report of the Conference contained in document A/49/27).

The Committee decided to extend the deadline for submission of draft resolutions under international security agenda items (items 68 and 70) to Wednesday, 9 November, at 6 p.m.

It was announced that the following countries had become co-sponsors of the following draft resolutions: A/C.1/49/L.9/Rev.1: Bahamas, Philippines and Senegal; A/C.1/49/L.13: Argentina, Republic of Moldova and Spain; A/C.1/49/L.18: Cameroon; A/C.1/49/L.19: India and Mongolia; A/C.1/49/L.21: Argentina, Cameroon and Republic of Moldova; A/C.1/49/L.22: Brunei Darussalam, Guatemala, Nepal, Republic of Moldova and the Philippines; A/C.1/49/L.23: Guatemala and the Republic of Moldova; A/C.1/49/L.26: Guatemala and Suriname; A/C.1/49/L.29: Nepal and Republic of Moldova; A/C.1/49/L.30: Senegal; A/C.1/49/L.39: Congo, Guinea and Venezuela; A/C.1/49/L.42: Bolivia and Republic of Moldova; A/C.1/49/L.44: Greece and Norway.

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

18th meeting

International cooperation in the peaceful uses of outer space [76]

Question of the review of the Agreement Governing the Activities of States on the Moon and Other Celestial Bodies [147]

The Chairman made an introductory statement, during the course of which he drew attention to the report of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space (A/49/20), as well as the report of the Secretary General (A/49/280).

The representative of Austria, Chairman of the Committee on the Peaceful Uses of Outer Space, introduced the report of the Committee (A/49/20).

The general debate began with statements by the representatives of India and Nicaragua.

On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee decided to close the list of speakers in the general debate on the items the same day at 6 p.m.

Organization of work

The Chairman made a statement.

SECOND COMMITTEE

20th meeting

Training and research [91]

(a) *United Nations Institute for Training and Research*

(b) *United Nations University*

The Committee began its consideration of the item and agreed to postpone consideration of sub-item (a) to a later date when documentation would be available. It had before it documentation as listed in the *Journal*.

The Rector of the United Nations University made an introductory statement.

Statements were made by the representatives of Germany (on behalf of the European Union and Austria), Japan, the Russian Federation, Italy, Portugal, Thailand, Jamaica (also on behalf of Antigua and Barbuda, the Bahamas, Belize, Dominica, Grenada, Guyana, Saint Kitts and Nevis, Saint Lucia, Saint Vincent and the Grenadines and Trinidad and Tobago), Jordan, Finland, Brazil, Sri Lanka and Hungary.

The Rector of the United Nations University commented on statements made.

The Committee thus concluded its general discussion of sub-item 9 (b).

Extension of deadline

Upon the request of the Group of 77 and the United States, the Committee agreed to the extension of the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda item 89 (Environment and sustainable development) to Wednesday, 9 November, at 6 p.m.

The representative of Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77 and China) also requested the extension of the deadline for submission of draft proposals under agenda item 12 (Report of the Economic and Social Council) to Monday, 14 November, at 6 p.m. to which the Committee agreed.

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**Convention against Torture or Other Cruel
Inhuman or Degrading Treatment or Punishment**

COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE

Thirteenth session

United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 7 NOVEMBER 1994

The thirteenth session was declared opened by the Chairman of the Committee, Mr. Dipanda Mouelle.

The Assistant Secretary-General for Human Rights made a statement.

190th meeting

Adoption of the agenda [1]

The Committee adopted its provisional agenda.

Organizational and other matters [2]

Submission of reports by States parties under article 19 of the Convention [3]

The Committee began its consideration of the items.

Consideration of communications under article 22 of the Convention [6]

The Committee began its consideration of the item in closed session.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

**[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH
THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]**

Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982, adopted by the General Assembly on 28 July 1994

Signature: Republic of Korea (7 November 1994)

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting

Tuesday, 8 November 1994

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m.
2.30 p.m.

(open to staff
members only)

Conference
Room 4

